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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kiran A. Padwekar

Examiner: Li, Aimee J.

Application No: 09/608,852

Art Unit: 2183

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For: A Branch Target Buffer (BTB)
Including a Speculative BTB
(SBTB) and an Architectural
BTB (ABTB)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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